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**C** BOB LAIDLLOW, representative of Fish Engineering Company, contractors for the big Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company gas plant to be erected northwest of Hamlin, was saying some nice things about our community the other day.

"I really like the friendly, helpful attitude of your people here," Laidlow declared. "As a newcomer, I was delighted to find so many people ready and willing to help me set up my offices, get lined up for utilities service, etc. That is a splendid asset for any community to have."

He went on to say that he had been in other sections of the country where there was a hands-off, work-out-your-own-problems attitude on the part of the people.

**C** THE ATTITUDE of the employer means a lot nowadays to the returns he gets from his employees. Julien C. Hyer of Fort Worth, long-time prominent official of Lions Club work in Texas, recently had this little rhyme in The Fort Worth Press that expresses the thought mighty well:

He'll scrawl upon a carbon sheet,  
"Miss S. this typing sure is neat,"  
And as he passes through his shop  
I notice now and then he'll stop,  
And say, "That's mighty fine work,

Bill."

And ask about their sick and ill,  
Take time to pause and stroke  
the cat  
And do kind little things like that,  
Small wonder when all's done and  
said,  
His business seems to forge ahead!

**C** THE OLD YEAR is gone forever. The new year has been properly and appropriately rung in.

For some celebrants, the aftermath of New Year's was a colossal hang-over. For others it marked a time of sober reflection, of thanksgiving, of planning and reflection.

A lot of us settled back in the rocking chair and surveyed our pitfalls of last year and looked hopefully ahead for this one. Many things came to mind. We procrastinated a little—that broken hay bale that was never fixed; that stubble land that isn't turned yet; that pasture tank that is dry and undrilled; those profits we lost because the poultry wasn't ready in time for top prices.

Looks like New Year's resolutions are in order—resolutions that can and will be carried out to make farming operations more successful. It's one thing to say it. It's another thing to do it.

**C** AS HAMILIN prepares to participate in the celebration early next month of Boy Scout Week for 1954, we believe the following statistics about the organization that has meant so much to the youth of America are appropriate:

The forty-fourth anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be celebrated February 7 through February 13. The Scout organization was incorporated at Washington, D. C. on February 8, 1910. In 1916 Congress granted a federal charter to the Boy Scouts of America.

Theme of the movement's anniversary is "Forward on Liberty's Team," seeking to build a sound citizenship.

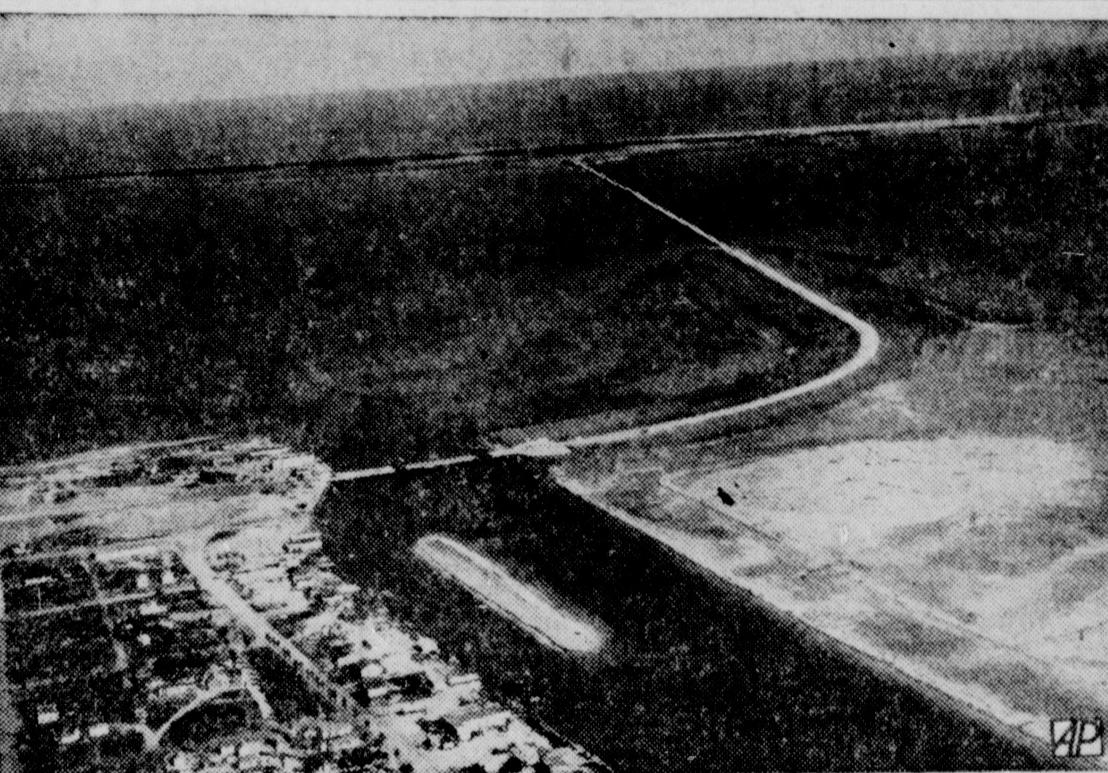
Scouts, parents, local institutions, communities, state and national officials will pay tribute to adult volunteer leaders of 89,000 Cub packs, Boy Scout troops and Explorer posts for the contribution they are making to the boyhood of America.

More than 3,300,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and their adult leaders will observe this forty-fourth anniversary.

Cub Scouts are eight, nine and 10 years of age (now number 1,080,000); Boy Scouts are 11, 12 and 13 years old (now number 970,000); Explorers are 14 years old and upward (now number 890,000); Scouts are adult volunteer leaders (now number 860,000). Professional leaders total 2,760 men, a ratio of one for every 312 volunteers.

Total Scouts and leaders since 1910, over 21,000,000.

The Boy Scouts of America is organized, through 558 local councils, throughout the United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Canal Zone, the Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico and Guam. Troops and other units are located in foreign countries where there are groups of American boys.



**PADRE BEACH CAUSEWAY READY**—Here's an aerial view of the almost-complete Compton County causeway connecting the Padre Beach resort area on the south tip of Padre Island with the Texas mainland at Port Isabel. The causeway, costing \$2,750,000, stretches two miles across the Laguna Madre. It is scheduled to be opened to traffic next month.

## Record Number of Entries in Club Boy Show Here Posted

### Departments and Prizes Announced For Feb. 20 Show



### Anniversary to Be Observed Sunday By Central Baptists

Sunday, January 31, has been designated as church anniversary day at the Central Avenue Baptist Church in North Hamlin, according Rev. Dan M. Williams, pastor. Special services will be observed at 11:00 a. m., 2:00 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Dinner will be served at the church, and all members and friends of the church are invited to be present, the pastor announces.

Rev. Miles B. Hays, who was pastor of First Baptist Church when the mission was organized as a church, will bring the morning message. Rev. Houston Walker, present pastor of the First Baptist Church, will bring the message at 2:00 p. m., and Rev. Williams will preach the evening's sermon.

Charter members of the church will be recognized, a history of the church will be read, and memorial services will be conducted for those members who have gone on, the pastor announces.

CC officials point out that the annual banquet is one of the highlights of the Chamber of Commerce year, and the session will review the past year's activities and offer plans for the ensuing year.

Master of ceremonies will be C. L. Howard, retiring president of the Chamber of Commerce. Incoming president is Delma Shulburne.

Rev. O. W. Jenkins, district superintendent of the Abilene District, will speak Sunday night, January 31, at 7:00 o'clock at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene.

A special feature of the service will be the singing, according to William C. Emberton, pastor. The public is invited to attend the services, say members of the church.

The Federal Reserve Banks of the country have endeavored to prevent a recession or depression, and will continue to perform that role by stabilizing the money market, provide credits and prevent money panics, Moore declared in so many words, as he explained how the purpose of the banks is to combine free enterprise and the public interest and remain free from a profit motive.

When money became "tight" last spring, Moore pointed out, the federal reserve system made more money available by easing private banks' reserve requirements, lowering interest rates and purchasing government bonds and securities. "Our system's regulation of these channels can help the monetary condition of the country," he said.

Present to hear the Dallas man also were several area bankers, who were invited to officials of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank.

At the close of his talk he was presented a gift certificate good for a West Texas style Stetson hat as a token of appreciation for

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**HERE'S CORRECT WAY TO BE POOR EMPLOYEE**

There's a new sure-fire report from the Bitter Business Bureau on how not to get along with co-workers. Strict adherence to the precepts set forth in the lessons below will guarantee you unpopularity you never dreamed possible... and all in just one week. (Sorry but we can't refund your popularity if not satisfied with the results. But just tear off the top of your head and send it in. We'll see if we can locate the hole in it for you).

First of all, when you arrive at your place of employment your usual 17 minutes late, greet no one; and if anyone should dare to say good morning to you, look at them like they were crazy. After all, the bandying of A. M. pleasantries is not for a person of your caliber. You'll be amazed at how soon this foolishness will stop being directed at you.

Of course, you have not left your troubles at home. And since you have the biggest worries ever to plague a human being, you must sob your tale of woe to anyone you can corner.

Never, never let anyone have anything bigger or better than yours. And always let your co-workers know that your job is really beneath you and that you are merely biding your time until your big break comes along.

Be sure to pass along any choice bit of gossip that comes your way. You'll have to embroider it before you whisper it on. And if you've got a dull day on your hands, why

not make up a sizzling scandal? This always makes for an interesting week. And to cinch your deal, when the guy you made up the story about is fired, refuse to contribute to his termination present from the gang.

You can save a good deal of money by never carrying your own cigarettes. It helps if you know where the other guy keeps his so you can get his into drawer or locker and help yourself to a pack or two every day. If you don't like his brand, feel free to ask him to change.

You can also save money by borrowing it often from your co-workers and never paying it back.

If a new method for doing your work is suggested, refuse to listen to it. After all, your system has worked for the past umpteen years and it'll work for the next hundred. Where do these guys get off anyhow, wanting to change the way you do things?

In closing we offer a few more ways to win the love and admiration of those you work with—always leave early for lunch and come back late—open the windows when everybody else is freezing, or better still, insist that the windows remain shut when it's 110 in the shade (shiver through your perspiration for effect).

Just follow the easy directions above for success in the field of horrible relations. Oh, yes, relations. Make sure that you get all your relations on the payroll.

**Fire Equipment Inadequate**

A visitor to our little city the other day, being a fireman in a neighboring town, wanted to see our fire fighting equipment. The Herald man changed the subject and began to tell him about our fine homes, churches, schools, industries, etc. But, as we said, being a fireman, he wanted to see our fire-fighting equipment. We told him of our oil fields, the refinery at Round Top, the big oil pumping stations, the Celotex plant, the Hamlin Sand & Gravel enterprise. But, being a fireman, he wanted to see our fire-fighting equipment.

Well, we took him a few doors to a good-looking, well-located little fire station. Then he saw our fire-fighting equipment—doggone it, he insisted on seeing it!

Well, he wanted to know of what vintage the two fire trucks were—and we refused to even guess their age. He made a few wise cracks, then posed a question that really put us thinking seriously: "What would you do if you really had a big fire in Hamlin?"

Well, folks, we took our friend over and showed him what good coffee we have in Hamlin. He admitted the coffee was good. He said we had a fine little city. But of all the things he said, this still rings in our ears: "What would you do if you really had a big fire in Hamlin?" We citizens of this Northwest Jones County metropolis must provide our own answer.

**Government Must Take First**

Governor Hugh Gregg of New Hampshire recently said, "Remember this: No government, federal or state, can give you anything which it has not first taken from you."

It might seem that so undeniable a proposition would be known to anyone. But it is plain that a great many of us still cherish the illusion that government can give us all kinds of services and benefits at little or no cost to us.

Actually, of course, we get back from government much less than what it takes from us. Waste and extravagance are the great deprecators of our tax dollars.

**Editorial of the Week****SOCIALIZED AGRICULTURE**

It seems clear that some of the attacks made on Secretary of Agriculture Benson have been malicious and are designed to deliberately mis-state his position. It has been intimated that the secretary really wants to stop all or practically all government assistance to agriculture and let it sink. Actually, Benson is scrupulously administering the price support law, which carries through 1954, and has said again and again that, whatever form program may come in the future, it is vital that the government be responsible for preventing agricultural distress.

Particularly angry attacks have been made because of Benson's opposition to direct price support on livestock. This may have clouded the fact that a great many livestock producers, and responsible farm organizations as well, support Benson's position in this case. The American Farm Bureau Federation has said: "Direct price supports would unquestionably lead to government control of the cattle industry and a dangerous step toward the socialization of American agriculture. Such price supports would destroy the nation's efficient system for the production, processing and distribution of meat which is the envy and marvel of the world."

"Direct price supports, when applied to hogs in World War II, resulted in dismal failure. The evidence is clear that markets were completely disrupted . . ."

When government pays the bill, government will and must make the rules and do the bossing. What Secretary Benson wants is a free and independent agriculture—and a farm program that will make that possible.—The Brady Herald.

With the mounting evidence that the recipients in our European Recovery Program are "growing up" economically these days, the importance of "Trade, Not Aid" is once again emphasized.

**RECALLING Other Years**

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper, The Herald . . .

**TWENTY YEARS AGO.**

Goings-on of 20 years ago, as recorded in the files of The Hamlin Herald dated January 26, 1934, included the following:

Citizens from many towns along the Orient Railway from the Red River to the Rio Grande met this week in Hamlin to discuss a new highway, the Orient Trail. The group voted to contact highway authorities at Austin and ask that such a road be designated.

Deposits in the two Hamlin banks at the close of Business December 30, 1933, were: First National Bank, \$343,694.81; Farmers & Merchants National Bank, \$553,131.56.

Featured at the Ritz Theater were Jackie Cooper in "Lonely Cowboy" and Buck Jones in "Unknown Valley."

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Byrum entertained the Arcadian Club with a dinner Friday evening. Present were Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Pardue, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Taylor, Messrs. and Mmes. J. E. Moody, R. H. McCurdy, J. H. Culbertson, B. L. Jones, O. H. Berry and Mrs. C. G. Green.

**TWELVE YEARS AGO.**

Among events of 12 years ago in the Hamlin territory were the following, as recorded from files of The Hamlin Herald dated January 30, 1942:

Clydene Wilson, a purchasing agent for camp utilities at Camp Barker, Abilene, spent the past weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wilson.

R. T. Spaulding and wife and sons, Rodney and Bobby, of Norman, Oklahoma, were here the past weekend to visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rountree.

Murle Carlton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carlton, is in Abilene taking a course at business college.

Home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dean of Hamlin was the scene of a family reunion to celebrate their fiftieth anniversary on January 20. Refreshments were served to the following attendants: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dean and daughter, Genelle; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Redus and daughter, Ruby Joyce, of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Spruell Dean and daughters, Reta Jo, Dorothy and Shirley; W. W. Dean; Faye Dean and children, Doyle, Joe Allen and Lusara; Mrs. Lola Miller and Lemuel of San Antonio; Mrs. R. J. Long of Buffalo, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dean; Mr. and Mrs. Lott Shell and son, Lewis; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and daughters, Faith and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller of San Angelo.

**FIVE YEARS AGO.**

Among happenings of five years ago in the Hamlin territory are the following, which are reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 29, 1949:

T. C. Blankenship, instructor of vocational agriculture at Hamlin High School, and 33 students were scheduled to leave this (Friday) morning for Fort Worth to attend the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

Sale of the Magnolia wholesale gasoline and oil agency in Hamlin to Hudson & Dodd, operators of the Magnolia Service Station, was announced this week by T. C. Robertson Jr.

Sale of the Carpenter Variety Store to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson was announced this week as the new owners took over the business.

Four days of cold weather between 20 and 16 degrees set a new record for the area first of the week at Hamlin.

**ONE YEAR AGO.**

Among news items printed in The Hamlin Herald of a year ago were the following, taken from the paper's file dated January 30, 1953:

Cotton production for Jones County was 5,049 on January 1

1953.

Stage for the annual porch-light campaign for the March of Dimes has been set for Thursday, according to Starr Inzer, city campaign chairman.

New telephone directories for Hamlin, which were being distributed this week, list 1,600 subscribers, a new all-time high.

Cheeks and money estimated totalling about \$1,800 were taken from the safe of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Sunday morning, according to Wesley Nail, business manager of the hospital.

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**Cattle and Sheep Sell Lower, But Hogs Hit \$27 on Fort Worth Market Monday**

Fed steers and yearlings were slow and bids and sales were weak to sharply lower at Fort Worth Monday, declares the weekly report of Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, who continues: Some fed steers and yearlings were fully 50 cents off, and some of the lighter weight hoggings, mixed lots and heifers were under heavier pressure and carried bids up to \$1 lower past the noon hour.

Cows were fully steady. Bulls brought firm prices. Stocker and feeder trade was active and prices were fully steady, quality and condition considered. Slaughter calves eased lower, and average prices were substantially under those at the close last week, and about in line with mid-week values a week ago.

Butcher hogs sold mostly 25 cents higher, with choice hogs topping at \$26.75 to \$27. Sows were steady to 50 cents lower, some sales off more.

Good and choice fat calves drew mostly \$15.50 to \$18.50, a few outstanding individuals to \$19. Commodity and medium slaughter calves cleared at \$11 to \$15, and culled sold for \$9 to \$11. Good and choice stocker steer calves drew \$16 to \$19.50, and medium grades sold for \$14 to \$15.

Good and choice butcher hogs scaling 190 to 250 pounds topped at \$26.75 to \$27, and lighter and heavier weights cashed at \$23 to \$24.50. Sows old from \$22.50 to \$24.

Good and choice wooled fat lambs sold from \$18 to \$20, and the top prices were paid for some club lambs as well as for some commercially fed lambs. Shorn fat lambs ranged from \$18.50 downward. Stocker and feeder lambs cashed at \$15 to \$17.50. Slaughter yearlings and two-year-olds sold from \$11 to \$14, and old ewes cashed at \$8 to \$10.50. Slaughter ewes drew \$6.50 to \$8.50. Old bucks solo around \$1 to \$5.

Feeder steers and yearlings of me- dium, good and choice kinds sold from \$14 to \$20.

Butcher and beef cows sold from \$10.50 to \$13.50, and canners and cutters sold for \$7 to \$10.50.

Some shelly lightweight emaciated canner cows were down to \$6.

Stocker cows ranged from \$9 to \$14, some young cows in load lots at the higher figure. Bulls scored \$9 to \$14.

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# The Herald's Page for Women



## Compre Club Wins Scrapbook Prize At Jones Demonstration Council Meet

Compre Home Demonstration Club was given \$5 for the best news scrap book for the year when members of the Jones County Home Demonstration Clubs.

The Texas Home Demonstration Association report was given by Mrs. Wayne Hendrick. She reminded them that 25 cents per member was due in February.

Training meeting for District 3 will be held at Hinsel, January 29 at 10:00 a. m. Purpose of this meeting is for planning the district meeting. District meeting will be held at Seymour on March 24. Each club is to bring its can to the Federation council to be elected as a delegate to the district meeting. Also during the February council session a county JHDA executive will be named.

Miss Waiscott asked for the month's report from club presidents and for the year's recommendations so that copies could be sent out to the clubs.

## Three Hamlin Store Buyers Attend Dallas Fashion Markets

Velma Fay Ellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ellison of Route 3, Hamlin, became the bride of Robert B. Corley in rites repeated Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Scifres at 48 Northwest Avenue Ev. Corley is the son of Mrs. C. D. Dixon of Kilgore.

Rev. J. S. Shepperd, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, performed the ceremony.

The bride is a 1953 graduate of Hamlin High School, and has been employed at Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and the Hamlin Coffee Shop. Young Corley is a graduate of Kilgore High School. He served in the Army, recently returning from duty in Korea.

The newlyweds are on a honeymoon to points in East Texas.

On their return they will be at home at Breckenridge, where Corley is employed with Sheets & Walton Drilling Company.

## Future Homemakers To Fete Parents

Elsie Withers of D. & H. Department Store, George Malouf of Malouf's Department Store, and F. E. Layouth of Frank's Department Store were among the more than 5,000 buyers who attended the American Fashion Association's spring and summer market in Dallas last week.

The association, comprised of 400 salesmen, displayed more than 1,200 lines of women's and children's apparel at the Adolphus and Baker Hotels.

Local chapter members are arranging a talent show for the entertainment of the evening, declare Mrs. James Simmons and Mrs. Joe Wayne Carter, homemaking instructors.

### TASTY SALAD IDEA.

Your family will like the flavor of green cabbage salad if you add drained crushed pineapple to it. Use the syrup left from the can and pineapple for basting ham or thin mayonnaise with it and use on fruit salads.

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Next market week will be held in Dallas May 12 to 21 and will feature fall fashions.

Only one starchy dish, such as potatoes, rice or macaroni should be used in the casserole.

## Pay Your Poll Tax Now!

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## Velma Fay Ellison And Robert Corley Married Saturday

### "Splash Area" Gets Cabinet Treatment



This homemaker has brought color contrast and convenience into her kitchen by adapting the material on her cabinets to the "splash area" between the sink and windows.

Her cabinets are gleaming white and the black and white squares between the top and bottom cabinets bring out their beauty.

The cabinets and "splash area" are covered with prefinished wall-paneling, an extremely smooth material made of tempered hardboard with a factory finished baked enamel surface, whose resistance to dirt is praised in homes throughout the land.

The material which comes in sizes from four by four to four by twelve and can be readily cut to any size and applied to almost any surface is also used on the ceiling of this kitchen.

## Hamlin Memorial Hospital

### TO COOK SAUSAGE.

To cook bulk sausage for cool weather meals, mold the meat into cakes that are about half an inch thick. Place the sausage cakes in an uncovered skillet and cook slowly and thoroughly until brown and crisp on both sides. When you take the sausage from the skillet, put it on paper towels to drain off any excess at, just as you do when you are cooking bacon.

### PLACE FOR CLAMP.

If there's no work surface in your kitchen on which you can clamp a food grinder, attach it to the top surface of your low kitchen step-ladder. However, if you are planning to buy a new food chopper, remember that you can now get the kind that needs no clamping.



Someone left a package at The Book Shop around Christ time. Evidently meant to go in the Christmas stocking. Call by and see if it is yours.

Have you looked in our show window and seen the new "Bridal Rose" Haviland China? So dainty and lovely!

The "Pine Cone" pattern in the window is semi-porcelain by Hallcraft. These odd shapes are very NEW and designed by Eva Zeisel.

Jubilee Dinnerware has been discontinued. Our stock of this pottery is on at one-fourth off. Now is the time to make replacements if you need them. We have a fairly nice stock on hand. (You remember, Jubilee comes in four lovely pastel colors).

Valentine Season is here again. Last year's stock is on for half price—and new stock is here, too. Also Valentine Bridge Tallys and place-cards.

Have you read "Life Is Worth Living" by Bishop Sheen? It will be good for you both mentally and spiritually. And then there is "The Power of Positive Thinking" by Dr. Pearle, the 1954 International Sunday School Lesson; "The Lady of Arlington" by Harriet Kane; Pearl Buck's new book and scores of others.

We handle Bibles, Dictionaries, Cook Books, Game Books, Shower Books, Fun Books and Baby Books. Remember, if it is a BOOK and in print, if we don't have it in stock, we'll get it for you.

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Mrs. E. M. Wilson

## Hamlin Girls Among Order of Rainbow Officials Installed

Seven Hamlin girls were among members of the Order of the Rainbow Girls who were installed as officers of the lodge last week in special ceremonies at Rotan. Girls from Jones and Fisher Counties are members of the order.

Betty Jane Clark, Rotan High School senior, was installed as worthy advisor of the group, and ceremonies were in charge of Peggy Brisco of Hamlin, outgoing worthy advisor.

Installed associate worthy advisor was Darlene Smith of Roby. Others officers taking office were: Mary Ann Wilbanks of Hamlin, faith; Jackie Lewis of Roby, hope; Linda Wallace of Hamlin, charity; Joyce McArthur of Rotan, record; Peggy Brisco of Hamlin, musician.

Entertainment features for the day's program will be furnished by students of the first grades at the Primary School under direction of Mrs. Bob Nunley.

An added feature of the program will be presented to an outstanding local member of the PTA, whose identity will not be revealed during the presentation.

Mrs. Ned Moore, president of the PTA, urges all ex-presidents of Parent-Teacher Association in the Hamlin area to attend the program.

"Founders Day is a time for re-

## Mrs. Robert Cross of Anson to Speak at Founders Day Program of PTA Here

evaluation and for planning ahead as well as a time for remembering what has gone before," Mrs. Moore reminds. "We can plan for new achievements as we review and evaluate what has been done, recognizing that ours are long-time goals, just as they were in 1897 when our first president, Mrs. Alice McLellan Birney, said, 'The Republic's greatest work is to save the children.'

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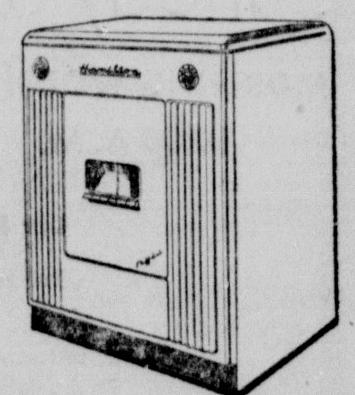
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# Highlights and Sidelights from Your State CAPITOL

By Verne Sanford, Manager,  
Texas Press Association.

Austin.—Legislators were getting ready this week to tackle again the teacher pay problem as Governor Allan Shivers put out the word that special session is coming up soon.

Shivers' move came quickly after a committee unanimously approved a compromise plan to raise teacher pay \$402 per year. The committee was appointed by the governor and the Texas State Teachers Association.

Governor Shivers told committee members that he would convene the Legislature "if this bill embodies what I understand it to, and submit it not only as my recommendation but as mine."

"I think we've all reached an accord here that I hope will become an actuality," he commented.

Estimated cost of the proposed salary increase is \$23,000,000 per year. The committee's bill, however, does not include a method of financing the cost.

School superintendent H. W. Stillwell of Texarkana told the committee that the governor had indicated the subject of more tax revenue might be submitted to legislators if the money is not in sight from other sources.

Involved in this question is the natural gas pipeline tax which is before the U. S. Supreme Court. This tax would yield about \$1,000,000 a month, in addition to the \$45,000,000 already impounded from the levy.

Although the bill provides that the pay increase would not start until the 1954-55 school year, Stillwell said he is hopeful that some bonuses for this year might be approved once the Legislature is in session.

Meanwhile, Attorney General John Ben Shepperd declared that the Supreme Court's action in another gas case "could result in a

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Lucky You

by Dick Shaw



Lucky you—you got away with reckless driving

Liberal Texas Democrats were at loggerheads in a drive by national party leaders to set up an advisory council for the state.

Dissension developed when Sam Rayburn, house minority leader, asked "faithful Democrats" to nominate members of the advisory council, which would function under the national Democratic committee.

In addition to the 62 members to be chosen by senatorial districts, several members-at-large have been appointed by National Chairman Stephen Mitchell.

One sore point seemed to be the absence of former loyalist leaders among those chosen for key roles in the new group.

"Loyal" Democrats are planning a showdown fight this year against Governor Shivers' conservative forces to recapture control of the state executive committee.

Mrs. H. H. Weinert of Seguin, national committeewoman, made it clear she would oppose use of the advisory group for any purpose except fund raising, its stated principal purpose. She backed the party ticket in the 1952 presidential race, but has not been aligned with the extreme liberal faction.

As another point of dissension, some leaders in the 1952 "loyalist" fight have questioned the authority of Byron Skelton of Temple to continue as chairman of the Texas Democratic organizing committee, which was formed last fall to battle the conservatives.

Skelton was the first liberal named by the national party to serve on the advisory council. But, regarding activities of this group, he said any statement would have to come from Rayburn or Mitchell as directors of the program.

Strange as it may seem, Governor Shivers has lined up with the liberal Democrats on one issue. He declared that he favors allowing 18-year-olds to vote.

It is a matter that should be submitted to the people for a decision, Shivers said. "In view of the fact that 18-year-olds are called during war to defend our democratic principles, it is even more reasonable to encourage their active participation in the science of government," the governor added.

Charges that the State Board of Hospitals and Special Schools has "repeatedly failed" to accept lowest bids for construction work have been made by State Senator Wayne Waggoner of Bowie.

He called upon the Senate investigation committee to hold an inquiry for which he claimed to have documentary proof of the charges.

Dr. James A. Bethel, executive director of the system, replied that "in every instance the lowest bidder has gotten the bid."

An architect for the board, Walter Moore, explained that usually bids with alternate materials are asked. Then, when bids

are lower than the estimates, the board sometimes approves construction that is better than the cheapest offered.

Continued high employment levels during 1954 have been predicted by the Texas Employment Commission.

Although some unemployment is expected as a result of reduced military spending, there will be gains in non-defense industry, the commission said.

Palmer Hoyt, publisher of The Denver Post, told a meeting of the Texas Press Association that instead of a depression, the country is due a "buyer's market."

He berated people who are wasting a lot of breath and causing a lot of heartaches by insisting that we are going to have a depression."

Observance of the centennial of Texas public schools will start

### San Antonio to Have Largest Stock Show

San Antonio will have its largest stock show and the widest rodeo in its history this year, according to Mark L. Browns, general chairman of the 1954 San Antonio event.

Livestock entries for the show have reached 3,000 head. Browne said that more than 1,000 head of beef breeding cattle have been entered for the February 12-13 exposition in the Alamo City.

Boys' steers totaled 259 entries with 121 steers entered in the open class division.

throughout the state on January 31, the anniversary date.

Climax of activity for the year-long observance will be during Public Schools Week, March 1-6, coinciding with the anniversary of Texas independence.

Although other cities are planning special events for that week, the capital city as a center of education and government plans a massive celebration with more than 100,000 persons taking part.

Lone Star GIs in England will likely eat barbecue beef on Texas Independence Day with some Britons who call themselves "Anglo-Texans."

Houston Fat Stock Show officials talked to the governor about how to get some blue ribbon winners to England in a hurry after the show.

Shivers expressed a desire to take a quick hop to Britain and said: "I'd like to see if they barbecue Texas beef in England as good as they can in Texas."

Short Snorts: State officials and the American Legion set a pattern in combatting a Communist front organization at Port Arthur recently, a national Legion official declared here. The post at Port Arthur whose members mainly are composed of organized union members moved in unison to thwart this subversion, he asserted.

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### George J. Taylor, Here Since 1909, Buried Thursday

Funeral services for George J. Taylor, 79-year-old farmer who had lived south of Hamlin since 1909, were held Thursday afternoon at the Calvary Baptist Church. Rev. J. T. Taylor of Houston and Rev. W. W. Taylor of Dallas, both nephews of the pioneer, officiated.

Taylor died Monday evening in the Methodist Hospital at Dallas. He had been ill for some time. Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Taylor was born in Oglethorpe, Georgia, October 20, 1874, and moved to Hunt County in 1898, where he lived for three years. He then lived four years in Shackelford County before moving to Jones County. He was married to Julia Ann Waddell November 15, 1899.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, H. T. Taylor of McCauley, A. J. Taylor of Paducah, Kentucky, Paul Taylor of Corpus Christi, and R. B. Taylor of Mineral Wells; three daughters, Mrs. H. E. Smith of Long Beach, California, Mrs. H. L. Money of Dallas

### Rolland L. Rose Takes Part in Anniversary

Army Private Rolland L. Rose, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose, 638 Northwest Fifth Street, Hamlin, helped to celebrate the 40th Infantry Division's second anniversary in Korea this month.

The former California National Guard division, which distinguished itself at Sandbag Castle, the Punchbowl and Heartbreak Ridge, arrived on the peninsula in January, 1952.

Rose, in Korea since last November, is a truck driver in the 223rd Regiment. He entered the Army last May and completed basic training at Camp Roberts, California.

Individual awards have been made to the service personnel of Gene Prewit Motors who are participating in this program. "We take our hats off to these master technicians," said W. B. Rice, director of the service division of the corporation. "Many have taken this training on their own time, showing their determination to become experts in their field."

Grover Prewit, who has served as the dealer's conference leader in the training program, says, "The master technicians program takes the guesswork out of automobile service, keeps labor and material expenditure at a minimum, and results in more accurate work at less expense to the auto owner."

### Prewit Motors Singled Out for Participation in Chrysler Service

Gene Prewit Motors of Hamlin this week received official notice from Detroit that it had been singled out for a special award from the Chrysler Corporation.

The award, a bronze plaque, was given in recognition of the completion of three years' participation in the master technicians service conference, a continuous, nation-wide training program in the servicing of Chrysler Corporation cars.

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# The Herald's Page of Sports



## Hamlin Boxers Taking Part in Abilene Golden Gloves Meet

**Team in Good Shape for Bouts, McLaughlin Says**

For the first time since boxing season started, every boxer on the Hamlin team is well and recovered from injuries as the crew prepares to participate this week in the Abilene regional Golden Gloves tournament, reports Don McLaughlin, coach of the delegation.

Lane Fletcher has had to drop out because of infected kidneys and will probably not see any more action the rest of this year. "We deeply regret losing Lane, and were depending on him to help Roy Williams and Dawl Johnson with their decisions at the tourney," McLaughlin declared Wednesday.

Twelve Hamlin boys were interested in going to the tournament, which was scheduled to begin last night (Thursday) in the Rose Field House at Hardin-Simmons University. Drawings for matches were slated for Thursday afternoon late.

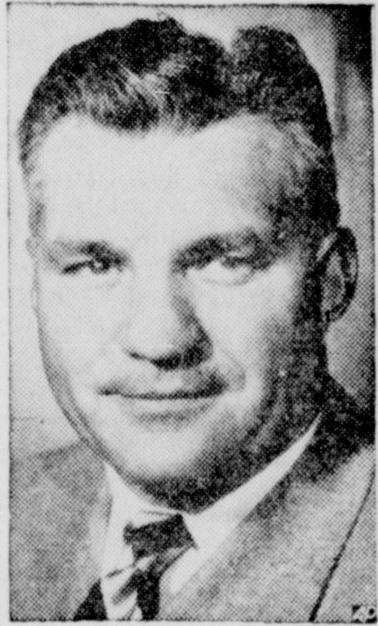
Entries going from Hamlin were the following: Wesley Acklin nad Carmen Britto, 65 pounds; Dudley Griggs and Joe Arona, 75; Richie Smith, Kenneth Lawlis and Jimmy Hill, 85; Travis Stephens, 95; Billy Kelly, flyweight, 112; Kenneth Kelly, bantamweight, 118; Roy Williams, featherweight, 125; Dawl Johnson, lightweight, 135.

McLaughlin was optimistic about his boys' chances as they prepared to leave for the bouts. "The boys are all in good condition and, barring accidents, etc., we believe they will make a good showing at the tournament."

### Hamlin Men Attend Nazarene Conference

William C. Emberton, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, and Joe Norton returned last week from Kansas City, Missouri, where they attended an evangelistic conference of ministers and laymen of the denomination.

They reported that more than 2,000 Church of the Nazarene leaders attended the three-day gathering. The program featured outstanding evangelists and others.



### Pied Pipers Lose Two Games During Past Week's Play

Hamlin's hapless Pied Pipers lost two basketball games during the past week, one a district tilt and the other a non-conference affair with Roby.

Last Thursday night Coach John Taylor's boys played a good second half in their game with the Colorado City Wolves at the Mitchell County capital, but their late rally was not enough. The Wolves won by a 39 to 29 count.

In their game with the non-conference Roby Lions Tuesday night at Roby, the Pipers took a beating in the last 18 seconds of the fray after leading all through the middle. The final count was 47 to 46 favoring the Lions. At one time in the game the Pipers held a 10-point lead. Ronald Gann was high point for the tilt with 21 points. Leading scorers for the Pipers were James Eddie Jay with 16 and Jimmy Ray, who accounted for 13 tallies.

### DISTRICT TEAM STANDINGS

Stamford High School's Bulldogs held their grip on the District 4-AA basketball lead with a perfect record this week, although they got a scare Tuesday night when they barely nosed out the Colorado City crew, 44 to 43. The standins look like:

Team	P. W. L.	Pet.
Stamford	4	4
Anson	5	4
Colorado City	4	2
Hamlin	4	1
Rotan	5	0

Results Last Week.

Stamford 77, Rotan 34.

Merkel 53, Anson 51 (non-conference).

Colorado City 39, Hamlin 29.

Roby 47, Hamlin 46 (non-conference).

Stamford 44, Colorado City 43.

Anson 43, Rotan 34.

### Where Hamlin Plays.

January 28—Boys' and girls' games with Rotan at Rotan.

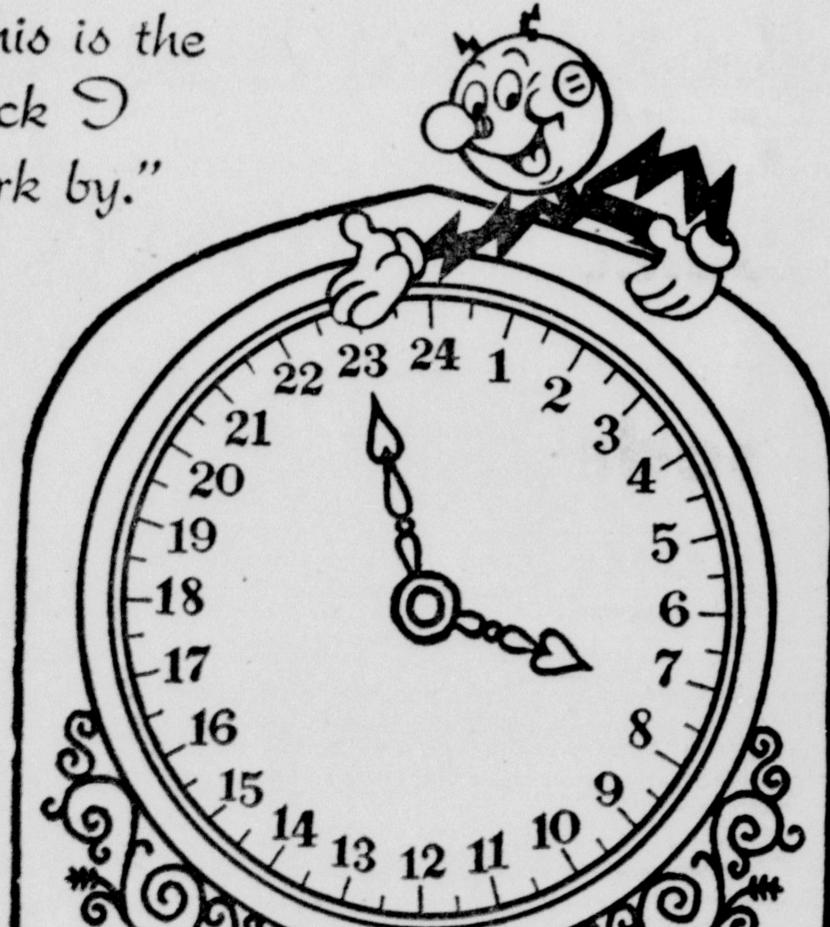
February 2—Stamford at Hamlin.

### Piperettes Playing in Roby Tournament

Coach Dora Mitchell's Piperette basketball girls are participating this week-end in an invitation tournament at Roby High School.

The girls were slated to meet the Merkel Badgerettes Thursday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock in the first round match.

"This is the clock I work by."



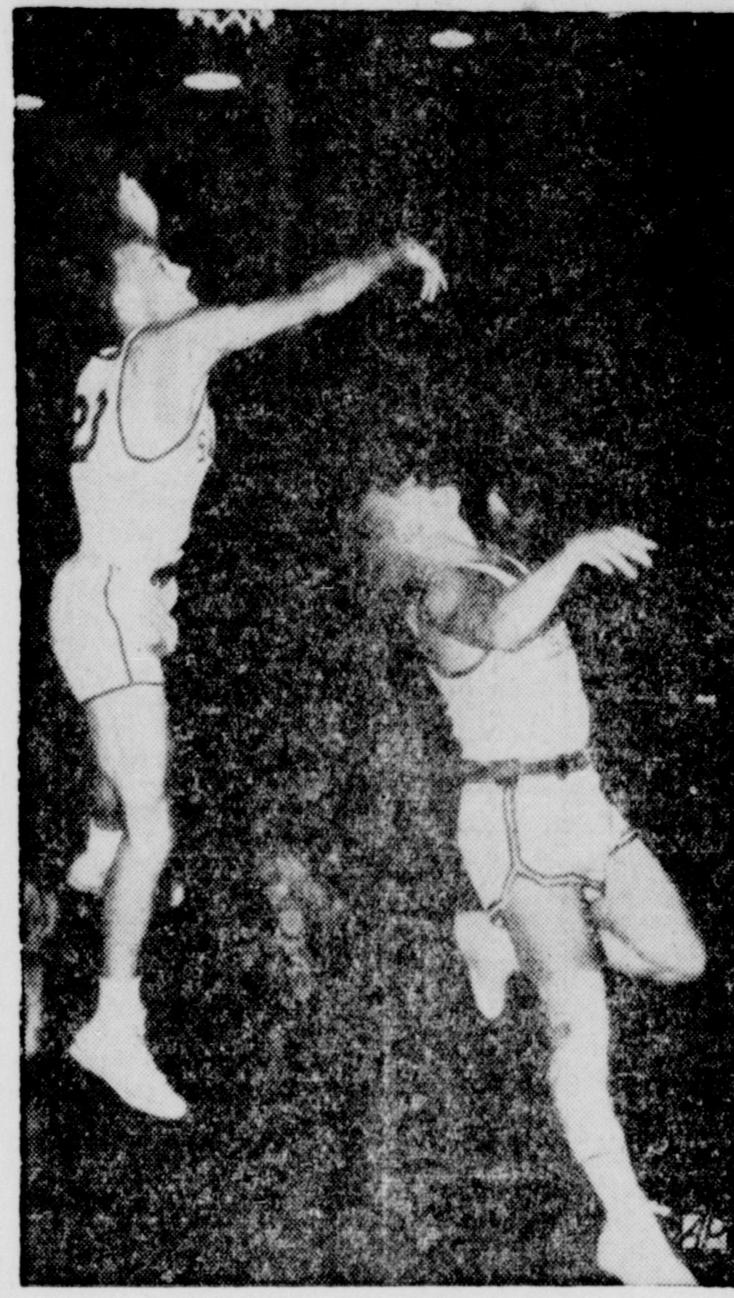
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### Hamlin Boxers Barely Nose Out Three Other Towns in Match on Local Mat

Coach Don McLaughlin's boxers of Hamlin barely maintained their winning streak when they edged out three other area teams in a four-city boxing meet at the Hamlin High School gymnasium last Thursday night. Despite the cold weather, a good crowd of fans witnessed the bouts.

Hamlin boxers won five bouts and lost four while Anson fighters, engaging in their first boxing matches of the year, won four and lost five. Seymour took four bouts and lost two, and Rotan won three and lost five.

The bouts were a preliminary to the Golden Gloves in two regions. Hamlin, Anson and Rotan boxers will participate in the Abilene regional bouts this week-end, and the Seymour battlers will go to Wichita Falls for their regional fisticuffs.

Feature of the evening's bouts was the heavyweight bout between Ed Velez, 183, of Rotan and Bob Miller, 265, of Seymour. Velez won the bout on a unanimous decision.

Results of the evening by bouts follow:

Ronnie Cox, 60, of Anson took a technical knock-out decision over Romeo Sipes, 60, of Hamlin in 20 seconds of the first round.

Carmen Britton, 65, of Hamlin, won over Wesley Acklin, 65, of Anson, decision.

Jimmy Hill, 85, of Rotan, decided.

Billy Cox, 95, of Anson decided.

Ricbie Smith, 75, of Hamlin, won over Butch Wimberly, 80, of Anson, on a decision.

Travis Stephens, 100, of Hamlin, won over Jimmie Hock, 100, of Bailey, 100, of Anson, in the first round.

Roy Williams, 125, of Hamlin, decided.

Tommy Bowles, 125, of Anson, won by a technical knock-out over Mike Carter, 120, in the second round.

Rod Johnson, 125, of Anson, decided.

Charles Baldwin, 135, of Seymour, decided.

Perry Wood, 135, of Seymour, decided.

Bob Johnson, 145, of Rotan, decided.

Aubrey Blaggs, 122, of Seymour, won a decision over Davie Chaps, 122, of Rotan.

James Harris, 135, of Seymour took a technical knock-out decision over Johnny Blocker, 135, of Rotan in a minute and 45 seconds of the first round.

Ed Velez, 183, of Rotan, won a decision over Bob Miller, 265, of Seymour.

Managers receiving the covetous awards were Don Crowley, Dwain Rogers and Carl Young, co-captains, Jimmy Ray, James Jay, Doyle Brinegar, Kenneth Kelly, Raymond Boyd, Kenneth Rowland and Hoyle Brown, seniors; Robert Altum, James Boyd, Robert Bowen, W. H. Hallmark, Don Brown, Clifford Johnson, Jackie Drummond, Justin Rowland and Tommy Hester, juniors; Joe Brown, Bobby Brown and Kenneth Hewitt, sophomores; Doug Ford and Dee Prewitt, freshmen.

### Twenty-Nine Get Football Jackets in Rites at School

Twenty-nine green and grey reversible football jackets were presented to players, managers and one coach Friday morning in assembly at Hamlin High School by Coach Vernon Townsend.

Receiving awards were 26 players, two managers and Coach Elvin Hill.

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Managers receiving the coveted awards were Thomas Newland, senior; and Joe League, junior.

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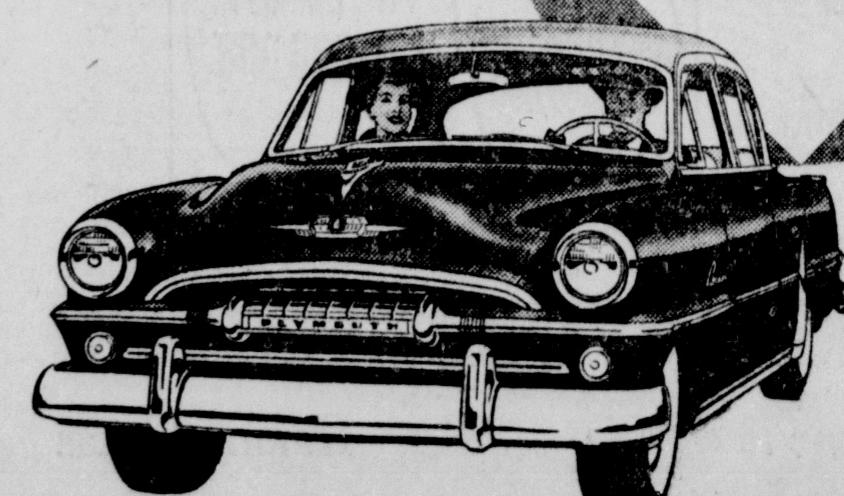
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JERRY CROWLEY

**JONES COUNTY:**  
For Commissioner, Precinct 1:  
JOHNNIE AGNEW  
For County Superintendent:  
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For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
IMA B. DOUGHERTY

## Ima B. Dougherty Announces Candidacy For Assessor-Collector

In announcing my candidacy for the office of tax assessor-collector of Jones County for a first elective term, I wish to state that I am a graduate of Anson High School and attended TSCW at Denton and the University of Texas. I taught school one year at Noddle, a rural school in Jones County, and eight years in the Anson schools.

I became a deputy in the office of the tax assessor-collector in 1936, serving in that capacity for our ever-growing population needs.

The re-organization of the Soil Conservation Service is designed to carry forward a more effective national program and to strengthen the work in each state. It does not change in any way the functions of the SCS in carrying out a national program of soil and water conservation primarily through soil conservation districts. The Soil Conservation Service and the Extension Service continue to have the responsibility for effective cooperation at county, state and national levels. Both services will look to the state experiment stations and to the Agricultural Research Service of the department for improved technology through which to assist local people in handling their programs.

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We want to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and the church who comforted us in our hour of sorrow.—Mrs. G. J. Taylor and children.

Respectfully submitted—Ima B. Dougherty.

## Soil Conservation Service and Extension Service Explain Attitude Toward Cut

People of the Hamlin area and elsewhere have expressed considerable concern about recent government economy moves that reportedly would greatly limit the activities of the Soil Conservation Service. Other reports have been confusing, County Agent Bill Lehmburg says, concerning the relations between the SCS and the Extension Service.

"There have been several questions raised regarding our agency and the Soil Conservation Service," Lehmburg wrote The Herald, "and I believe the following release will help answer them."

Administrators C. M. Ferguson and D. A. Williams of the Federal Extension Service and Soil Conservation Service, respectively, released a joint statement this week dealing with the relationship of the two services. "We regard," they said, "this statement as a significant expression of the cooperative relationship between the two agencies."

Their statement follows: The conservation and proper care and development of our soils is basic to the economic well-being of the families now farming and ranching and those who are to follow.

It is essential to the future of the nation's food supply and to the continued expansion of efficient food and fiber production to meet our ever-growing population needs.

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## Hamlin Area to Share in Oil Production Cut for February as Stocks at New High

Oil production in Central West Texas' District 7-B of which the Hamlin area is a part will share in pro ration cuts for the month of February, as announced this week by the Texas Railroad Commission from Austin.

With a cautious eye on continuing high stocks of crude oil, the commission ordered the state's daily permissible oil flow cut 40,206 barrels in February.

The curtailment, achieved by allowing two less days of flow in the short month, will place the allowable of 2,830,448 barrels per day February 1.

Commission Chairman Ernest Thompson noted that at the rate wells are being brought in, the allowable will automatically rise enough during February to average about the same as for January.

Next month's production pattern will allow 15 days of flow state-wide and in the East Texas Field, both of which are now on 17 days. The Kelly-Snyder Field will continue on 15, and Pickton on nine. Pantex and Pewett Ranch Fields will be cut one day each, to 15 and 19.

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ed greater production, but Thompson firmly indicated before they started talking he was in no mood to vote for an increase.

He cited figures showing the total of national stocks of crude and products on January 9 was 617,805,000 barrels, or 39,753,000 more than a year ago.

"Stocks have been working off fairly satisfactorily the last three or four months as far as crude is concerned, but as was indicated while ago, gasoline stocks are still very, very high, and will continue to accumulate until the gasoline consuming season starts up again," Thompson said.

"All of the good that has been pretty well offset by refineries insisting on high through-put."

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## Teachers Looking to Oil Belt Abilene Meet

Teachers of the Hamlin schools are already looking forward to the annual meeting of the Oil Belt Texas State Teachers Association to be held in Abilene March 12 and 13.

Featured speakers for the session will include Dr. Kenneth Wells and Dr. William R. Ross, according to Dr. Charles Romine, Abilene Senior High School principal and president of District 7. "Each superintendent in the district," Romine continued, "has been asked to plan his school calendar so that teachers can attend this meeting and from reports, practically all schools will dismiss for Friday, March 12."

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10-Lb. Pkg.	65¢	Dog Food Nip 'N' Tuck. 15½-Oz. Can	10¢
3-Lb. Can	69¢	Corn Meal Mammy Lou. White	5-Lb. Bag 29¢
14-Oz. Can	5¢	Corn Meal Covered Wagon. White	5-Lb. Bag 25¢
12-Oz. Jar	19¢	Vanilla Wafers Jane Arden	7-Oz. Pkg. 19¢

1-Lb. Pkg.	86c	Coffee Airway. Freshly roasted	3-Lb. Pkg. \$2.55
1-Lb. Pkg.	88c	Coffee Nob Hill. Brazil's Finest	2-Lb. Pkg. \$1.75
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32-Oz. Jar	25¢	Salad Dressing Cascade	
2-Lb. Pkg.	25¢	Tomato Catsup Taste Tells 14-Oz. Bots. 25¢	
1-Lb. Pkg.	19¢	Soda Crackers Busy Baker 14 cello packs 1-Lb. Pkg. 19¢	
5-Lb. Pkg.	35¢	Flour Kitchen Craft Enriched	10-Lb. Pkg. 69¢

Pork Chops Center cuts	lb. 75¢	Sliced Bacon Poppy. Sugar cured	1-Lb. Cello 83¢
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## Fifth and Sixth Amendments to Provide Basis for Heated Discussion in Congress

This session of Congress will produce many heated discussions of and arguments about the fifth and sixth amendments to the constitution of the United States, declares Omar Burleson in his weekly release, Washington: As It Looks from Here. He continues:

The two vital amendments are integrated parts of the bill of rights. It would be well for all Americans to acquaint themselves fully with these two amendments, if you have not already done so.

The fifth amendment contains the provisions behind which many witnesses before congressional investigating committees have hidden themselves for a number of years. The sixth amendment contains the provision affording an accused the right to be confronted with the witnesses against him. The spotlight was placed on this particular amendment in the speech made by President Eisenhower before the B'nai B'rith anti-defamation league at the Mayflower Hotel recently. The Washington Post quoted him in an editorial as follows: "In this country if someone dislikes you or accuses you, he must come up in front, he cannot hide behind the shadow, he cannot assassinate you or your character from behind, without suffering the penalties of an outraged citizenry will impose."

You may not have a copy of the constitution handy, so I am going to quote these two amendments as they appear in the constitution:

### Amendment V.

"No person shall be held to answer for a capital or otherwise infamous crime unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces or in the militia, when in actual service in time of war or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offense to be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb, nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty or property without just compensation."

### Amendment VI.

In all criminal prosecutions the accused shall enjoy the right of a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the state and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, and to have the assistance of counsel for his defense."

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## First of Scouting Training Schools Scheduled Monday

Several Hamlin Scouting are scheduled to attend the first in a series of Scout training schools at the Avoca High School Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Rae Eastland of Stamford, district chairman, told 20 Scouts at the Northern District committee meeting in Stamford Friday that, since this district now had over 300 adult Scouting registered in the Scout program, the Chisholm Trail Council is responsible to offer a Scout training school. Eastland said that three-fourths of these adult Scouting have never had training.

Earl McCaleb of Anson, training chairman, offered a plan for training all Scouting in Cubbing, Scouting and Exploring.

The group agreed to hold the first course at the Avoca High School February 1. Avoca Scouting will be hosts. McCaleb said that the Chisholm Trail Council would offer three courses at Avoca: Leadership course for Scouting; fundamentals and achievement plan for Cubbers; and organization courses for Explorers.

Other courses were scheduled to be held at Albany, Hamlin, Haskell, Anson and Stamford.

Marvin Hinds agreed to see that every Scout unit in Jones County received a personal invitation. Hinds made the following appointments: Roy Arledge to contact Stamford packs, Buster Powell the Stamford post, Erving Moudy the Stamford troops; Joe Stephens the Hamlin troop and pack and C. D. Leonard the Hamlin post; H. D. Dunklin the Avoca post; Dan McLaren the Anson troops; and Gene Sosebee, the Anson Pack and Hawley troop.

Every American should read our constitution and weigh every word, phrase, sentence and paragraph therein very carefully.

## Seniors to Present Comedy as Annual Play on March 26

"One Wild Night," a three-act comedy, was selected last week as the annual play of the senior class of Hamlin High School, which will be presented March 26.

Kenneth Kelly, president of the class, appointed Milton Crow, David Cowan, Don Crowley, Margaret Patterson, Faith Simpson and Ethel Sue Denton to act on a committee to select the play.

Kenneth declares: "There is enough uproarious fun in 'One Wild Night' to satisfy the most laugh-hungry audience in the world. The action centers around Rodney Dodd. He is a healthy young man who, because his ancestors have been neurotic invalids, refuses to believe he could live a normal life. He spends his time in a wheelchair, and insists upon taking cod liver oil whether he needs it or not. But love changes his outlook on life."

Margaret Boone, secretary of the class, ordered the play books last Friday, and as soon as they come in, Mrs. Austin Poe, class sponsor, will call a meeting of all seniors who are interested in trying out for parts. Then at a later date, Mrs. Poe and Vernon Townsend will conduct the try-outs for casting and then be ready for rehearsals.

"In my opinion, in 1954 the level of new building construction and repair and remodel activity will continue at a rate which will provide a sustained market for our products," Mansell said.



**AT HOME ON THE RANCH**—Former Texas Governor Coke Stevenson, 65, and his wife, the former Mrs Marguerite King Heap, 37, are shown above on the Stevenson ranch at Telegraph, 17 miles from Junction on January 16 and moved at once to the secluded ranch. This first picture of the couple since the wedding was taken by Sue Flanagan of the San Angelo Standard-Times.

## Final Rites Held Sunday Afternoon For P. B. Stapler

Final Rites for P. B. Stapler, 79-year-old retired farmer who died Friday at Hamlin, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Foursquare Church. Rev. Orion Lewis, pastor of the Faith Methodist Church, and Rev. Carl Pool, Foursquare pastor, officiated.

Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Parks Beille Stapler was born June 11, 1874, in Bowden, Georgia. He lived there and in Alabama until he moved to Wood County, Texas, in 1902. He lived in Wood County until 1921, when he moved to Jones County. He had lived in the Hamlin community for the past 21 years.

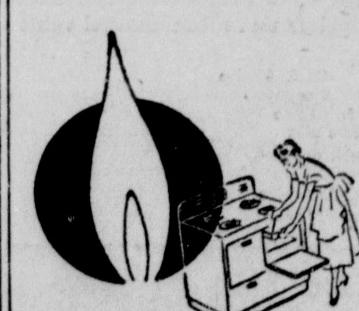
Deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. P. B. Stapler of Hamlin; five daughters, Mrs. T. R. Cannon of Taylor, Arkansas, Mrs. T. E. King of Hale Center, Mrs. W. H. Burrow Sr. of Sweetwater, Mrs. R. L. Boiles of Hamlin and Mrs. J. L. Kennedy of Hamlin; two sons, J. W. Stapler of Hamlin and Tom Stapler of Dallas; a foster son, Zeno Wise of Abilene; 37 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

## James E. Butler Takes Rest in Kobe, Japan

Corporal James E. Butler, whose wife, Evalena, and father, James Butler, live at Hamlin, recently spent a seven-day rest and recuperation leave at Kobe, Japan, according to a release to The Herald.

Corporal Butler is normally stationed in Korea as a ration clerk with the 24th Infantry Division Artillery. He attended Texas Tech College at Lubbock before entering the service.

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## Cold Weather Fails To Trim Sunday School Attendance

Despite below-freezing weather Sunday morning, attendance at the Sunday Schools of 11 churches reporting in The Herald's new feature showed a total gain of 77 over the previous Sunday's attendance. However, four of the churches reflected losses from the previous Sunday's total.

Also, the Sunday record of 908 was 13 below the year-ago attendance for the churches. Two Sunday Schools failed to report their year-ago attendance, however.

The Herald hopes to also include in tabulations next week the enrollments of the various Sunday Schools, and the percentages of the enrollments in the Sunday totals will be reflected hereafter.

Tabulations of the 11 reporting churches for January 17, January 24 and a year ago follow:

	Jan.	Jan.	Year
Church—	17	24	Ago
Assem. of God.....	30	48	25
Faith Methodist....	42	52	40
No. Cen. Baptist....	57	101	64
Calvary, Baptist....	57	70	73
First Baptist.....	334	314	366
Ch. of Nazarene....	46	68	66
Church of Christ....	142	134	136
Mex. Baptist.....	15	19	38
Oak Gr. Col. Bap....	43	37	43
Pentecostal.....	32	29	—
Foursquare.....	29	36	68
Totals.....	831	908	921

### TASTY NIGHT SNACK.

Wondering what to serve for Sunday night supper? How about sliced hard-cooked eggs on toast with a cheese sauce? Flaver the cheese sauce with mustard and Worcestershire.

Some folks make a specialty of getting into trouble.



It takes a lot of skilled care and hours of exercise for young David Payne of Los Angeles to fight his way back from polio. David's physical therapist, Jean Cummins of Orthopedic Hospital is teaching him to re-educate muscles damaged by the disease. Miss Cummins' own training and David's after-care are paid for out of March of Dimes funds. The drive to fight polio is from January 2 to 31. Give generously.

## Drive for Heart Fund To Open Monday in Hamlin and Texas

Monday, February 1, will mark the opening of the annual month-long Heart Fund drive of the Texas Heart Association and affiliated local heart associations throughout Texas. Governor Shivers has proclaimed February as Heart Month in Texas and has called upon all Texans "to cooperate wholeheartedly in the activities of American Heart Month."

The governor, who for the third consecutive year is serving as co-chairman of the Heart Fund, along with Attorney General John Ben Sheppard, also a co-chairman, reminded Texans in his Heart Month proclamation that "in a single year, diseases of the heart and blood vessels caused the deaths of 771,000 Americans, and affect one out of every 16 residents of the United States."

If you are too busy to pray, you are too busy.

## Hamlin Area People Urged to Get Income Tax Returns in Early

Hamlin area people were advised this week that early filing of their 1953 income tax returns will be a big help to Uncle Sam and will put behind them a detail that becomes a bigger headache the longer it is put off. That's the word from Ellis Campbell Jr., district director of internal revenue.

Campbell, who would be very happy to see a steady flow of letters bearing checks and money orders—no cash, please—reminded taxpayers this week that payments should be made to the order of the District Director of Internal Revenue, Dallas, Texas.

The vast bulk of Dallas district taxpayers will find no difficulty in making out their own returns, especially if they use Form 1040A," Campbell said. "But for those who have a problem or two, our office stands ready to give assistance or advice. If you can present the facts on your problem over the phone, call us at Abilene 4-9146. If you need personal aid, visit our office at the U.S. post office and courthouse, Third and Fourth Streets at Pine, Abilene."

## Five Scheduled to Go To Industrial Clinic

At least five Hamlin business men were scheduled to go yesterday (Thursday) morning to Abilene to attend the first annual industrial conference being promoted by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

President Delma Shelburne will head the Hamlin delegation, which will seek to learn ways and means to secure new industries for the community. Several outstanding industrial leaders and Chamber of Commerce officials will be featured on the program.

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